



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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MITSUHASHI et al.

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For: CLOCK SWITCHING CIRCUIT FOR A HOT PLUG

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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**Introductory Comments**

Director of the U.S. PTO  
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June 14, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2004, the period for response being extended from April 14, 2004 until June 14, 2004 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-titled application as follows: